

## WALL ST. STOCK REPORTS.

A Weak Half-Holiday Market, with Lower Prices.

Interest Centred in Union Pacific's Election in Boston.

The Gould Ticket Considered by New Yorkers a Probable Winner.

Wall Street, Wednesday, April 27.—The stock market was weak. Prices declined 1/4 to 1 1/2 per cent. right through the list. Rock Island, National Cordage, Burlington & Quincy, Erie preferred, Pullman, Atchafalaya, Union Pacific, Jersey Central and St. Paul were especially heavy.

When the exchange closed at noon prices were only a fraction above the lowest. It was rumored that the Rock Island will shortly announce a new issue of bonds, and this, together with reports that two or three millions of gold will be shipped by Saturday's steamer, affected the market adversely.

An official of the National Cordage Company said this morning:

"The company had an option on John Gould's property through a certain agreement between John Gould and the Cordage company. This agreement was broken about the first of the month. There is no agreement existing at the present time. It does not matter to the Cordage company whether John Gould is in or out."

Union Pacific's annual report for 1891 shows a surplus on the stock of \$1,000,000 after all expenses of 1 1/2 per cent. against a deficit in 1890 of \$275,000. The net floating debt has decreased about \$18,000,000 by the issue of the collateral trust notes. Charges for construction and equipment were much less than in 1890.

About fifty people are at the meeting which is being held at Boston, Mr. Bolsover, George K. Hannin and Richard Olney represent the foreign stockholders with about 250,000 shares. The Gould party has 170,000 shares and perhaps more. The contest will be sharp and the result unknown until late in the day.

The following is the board ticket: Frederick L. Ames, Edwin F. Atkins, Samuel Carr, S. H. Clark, Henry H. Clark, Gordon H. Clark, Sidney Dillon, Greenville M. Dodge, Jay Gould, Marvin Huggitt, Henry B. Hyde, John H. May, J. P. Morgan, J. R. Russell, James Sharp (in place of his father, deceased). The foreign ticket which is expected to win consists of the same parties, except J. H. Clark, Jay Gould and Russell Sharp, who are replaced by Charles F. Johnson, Madison Hanna and G. W. Lane.

The injunction asked for by Goldsmith & Co. to restrain the New England Road from paying the dividend on its preferred stock has been granted. It is stated that the company can now pay the dividend without being liable to the New York exchange has risen to 50 cents premium in Chicago and money is likely to be shipped East in consequence.

Closing Quotations.

American Sugar Ref.	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/4	7 1/2
American Cotton Ref.	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/4	7 1/2
American Tobacco	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/4	7 1/2
Am. Tea & Coffee Co.	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/4	7 1/2
Am. Oil & Soda Co.	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/4	7 1/2
Am. Gas & Water Co.	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/4	7 1/2
Am. Electric	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/4	7 1/2
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